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**TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

In response to the Office Action mailed October 22, 2002, enclosed are corrected formal drawings (6) six sheets of drawings, Figures 1 through 6, concerning the above-identified application.

Prompt review and approval of the enclosed Formal Drawings are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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